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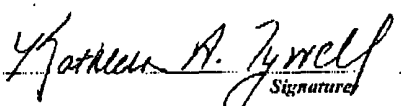
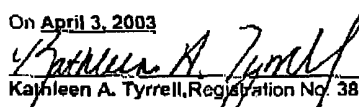
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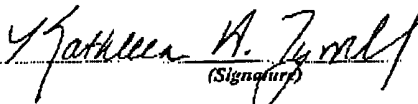
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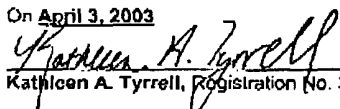
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This is a reply to the Restriction Requirement mailed March 3, 2003 setting a one (1) month statutory period for response. Please enter the following remarks into the record.

REMARKS

Claims 1-17 are pending in the instant application. Claims 1-17 have been subjected to the following Restriction